

## LENTZ

Affords the Sensation of the Day in  
the House at Washington.

Sends Hot Shot at Mr. Hanna

And Declares That if Reported Conditions Exist  
in the Philippines, Soldiers Are Justified  
in Deserting the United  
States Army.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The house finally passed the sundry civil appropriation bill and entered upon consideration of the general deficiency bill. Mr. Lentz (Dem., O.), who in the last of the general appropriation bills and the previous congress has violently attacked the administration, furnished the sensation of the day. He used a newspaper paragraph recounting the death of Federal Judge Lyland in New Mexico, who had been a member of the legislature which elected Senator Hanna, as a test for charging corruption in that election. This called forth a rebuke from Mr. Cannon, who declared that he would fight the living and only ghosts ravaged the tombs of the dead. Mr. Lentz replied that he was not attacking a dead man, but a man who is to ride with the president a week from next Monday.

Later Mr. Lentz made a second onslaught of a more sensational character. In some remarks about a paragraph in the bill for payments for the apprehension of deserters, Mr. Lentz made the startling charge that soldiers in the Philippines had buried a native alive and had then buried him, and he read a letter written, he said, by a soldier in the Philippines, saying that he and his companions, while on an expedition, were ordered to shoot every man and beast they found. Mr. Lentz said if these things were true the soldiers were justified in deserting.

Mr. Cannon (Illa.), Mr. Mahon (Pa.), Mr. Grosvenor (O.), Mr. Moody (Mass.), strongly rebuked Mr. Lentz.

## NATION

Crusade in West Virginia is Serious.

Man Burned to Death and  
Buildings Destroyed.

As a Result Two of the Alleged  
Reformers are Landed in Jail  
and Charged With Arson  
and Murder.

Staatsville, W. Va., Feb. 21.—Word was received from Stringtown, a small oil village in Tyler county, that a fire had started in a drug store and before the flames could be got under control several buildings had been consumed and that John Clendenning had been burned to death. The latest report from Stringtown is that two men have been arrested for arson and murder. It appears that there had been a crusade in the oil village against the dives and "speakeasies" during the past two weeks, and a warning had been given that unless the proprietor of the drug store over which Clendenning slept stopped selling liquor the place would be either burned or blown up.

Corn Seed Burned.

Shenandoah, Ia., Feb. 21.—The big seed corn establishment of Rankin & Sons was completely gutted by fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, and over 15,000 bushels of select corn seed were destroyed. A second incendiary attempt was discovered soon after in a big flour house, but the fire was soon under control.

Root Fell.

Gibraltar, Feb. 21.—Four persons, three of whom were Spaniards, were killed by the fall of the roof of one of the galleries of the south battery. Seven others, all English, including the engineers who were superintending the work in progress, were injured.

Slot Machines Seized.

Fort Scott, Kan., Feb. 21.—Slot machines valued at \$2,000 and owned by a St. Louis company were seized in saloons here upon an order issued by the judge of the city court, C. S. Hoyt, local manager of the company, was arrested on a charge of gambling.

Consumed by Fire.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.—Fire destroyed

Sioux Becoming Ugly.  
Omaha, Feb. 21.—Information reaching here indicates that the Sioux Indians are contemplating an uprising if demands now being formulated for submission to Washington are not complied with. Several council meetings have already been held. One chief declares hostilities will begin if relief is not forthcoming. The trouble is over the cutting down of supplies and a claim unpaid for ceding of the Black Hills.

Sold to the Southern.  
San Francisco, Feb. 21.—It is claimed that the proposed transfer of the city holdings of the Pacific Improvement company to the Southern Pacific railroad will shortly be carried out. The property is estimated to be worth \$2,500,000 and a prominent official of the Southern Pacific stated that the road will pay spot cash.

Perkins Retires.  
Boston, Feb. 21.—C. E. Perkins, president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad has resigned and Vice President George B. Harris has been chosen president. Mr. Perkins remains as director. His resignation is due to a desire to be relieved of the cares of the office of president.

Traveling Man's Suicide.  
Parsons, Kan., Feb. 21.—Will L. Wood, traveling salesman for a Pittsburgh, Kan. meat firm, committed suicide at a hotel in this city. His body was discovered by a hotel boy. Wood came here Sunday and had been drinking heavily.

## STARVED

Rather Than Beg for  
Assistance.

A Sad Case of Poverty in  
Milwaukee.

Father and Mother Had Died and  
the Two Children Were Ill  
Before Their Condition  
was Discovered.

Milwaukee, Feb. 21.—Two deaths from starvation were reported here. The victims were Mr. and Mrs. John Hofer, who lived in a hotel. The couple had sold most of their furniture for a small amount of money, with which they purchased food and fuel for themselves and two children. When most of the food thus obtained had been eaten, it is supposed the parents deprived themselves in order to save the children, and being too proud to beg, literally starved to death. The children are ill but will recover.

## REFINERY

In France, Employing 1300  
Men, Closes Down.

Alleged That the Shut Down was  
Ordered for the Purpose of  
Restricting the  
Output.

Paris, Feb. 21.—An important sugar refinery at Saint Julien, department of Seine, employing 1,500 operatives, announced a few days ago that it would close on the ground that its machinery was out of date and that the establishment was, therefore, unable to compete with other French refineries. LAurere asserts, however, that the closing down was really an agreement between some of the principal sugar refiners, such as Sommer, Say and Lebonay, who have suppressed the refinery in order to restrict the output.

## MOBBED

And Swung Up to a Limb of  
a Tree Five Times.

The Lynchers Tried to Force a  
Confession from a Negro Prisoner  
Charged With  
Assault.

Louisville, Feb. 21.—A mob at Dyersburg, Tenn., took Beebe Montgomery from the jail at Dyersburg and swung him up to the limb of the famous "Mike Lynching Tree" five times, letting him down each time he was hauled up to make him confess his complicity in the assault with Fred King upon Miss Alice Arnold. The negro denied his guilt. Finally the mob carried him back to the jail more dead than alive and delivered him to the jailer. The mob decided not to lynch Montgomery until the third guilty negro is found whom King implicated in his confession.

## MOB

Rule Now Prevails  
in Kansas.

Carrie's Riots

Followed by More Serious  
Events.

Citizens at Topeka and Wichita  
After a Pair of  
Rape Fiends.

Mrs. Nation Addresses Judge Hazen  
as "Your Dishonor"—Is Remanded to Jail at Topeka—  
Case Continued.

Topeka, Feb. 21.—The vigilance officers were all that saved "Stick" Slater, the negro rapist, from lynching. Slater assaulted 17-year-old Little Gerberick, Monday evening, and was captured by Topeka officers the next day in Carbondale, 20 miles from here. The officers kept the fact of the capture quiet and placed Slater in the county jail here. When it became known that he was here the men at the Santa Fe shops, where the girl's father, George Gerberick, is employed, decided that he should be lynched. One thousand men surrounded the jail and demanded the prisoner. Sheriff Cook allowed the jail to be searched, but Slater could not be found. It is thought he was spirited away to Atchison. The men are determined to lynch Slater when he is brought back for trial.

Ministers Liable to Arrest.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 21.—A plan has been formed here in case of a raid on the saloons at night, which is expected to take place at any moment. It calls out the fire department to reinforce the inadequate night police service. For the purpose of quelling a riot, the firemen will, it is said, be permanently clothed with the authority of policemen, with power to deputize citizens. Judge Dale of the district court, before whom the crusaders have been tried in the past, is quoted as saying that he would arrest ministers who incite the people to riot against saloons.

Fled to Escape a Mob.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 21.—Sheriff Gano of Medicine Lodge has fled to Anthony with Professor Hamlin, 22, to prevent him from being lynched. Hamlin, who is a country schoolteacher, is charged with criminally assaulting a 9-year-old girl named Greaves. Hamlin boarded at the home of the Greaves, who are influential, and the girl was his pupil. It is thought the mob, which is made up of Barber county farmers, may follow Hamlin to Anthony, in which event they will surely get him, as the Harper county jail is a weak structure.

Mrs. Nation's Case Continued.  
Topeka, Feb. 21.—Judge Hazen of the district court, continued the case of Mrs. Carrie Nation, charged with smashing Murphy's saloon, until the April term of the court. The cases against Eva Hardin, Mrs. Rose Crist, Miss Madeline Southard, Mrs. C. C. Chadwick and C. R. McDowell were also continued. Mrs. Nation envisioned the proceedings in her characteristic way, addressing the judge as "your dishonor." Mrs. Nation was returned to jail.

Trouble Averted.

Winfield, Kan., Feb. 21.—The temperance people accepted a report of Mayor Albright and a committee of business men who went through the buildings vacated by the jointists that all had quit business and issued a statement that hostilities would cease until it could be seen whether the mayor would keep the joints closed. By this act it is believed that serious trouble has been averted, at least for the time being.

Chicago Saloons Damaged.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Three saloons in this city were damaged by admirers of the methods of Mrs. Carrie Nation. The total damage suffered by three proprietors will amount to several thousands dollars. The smashing was done in each instance by a different person, and necessarily so, as the police gathered in the smashers with great promptitude and locked them up. The saloons damaged were those of Peter Pellegrani, The Berghoff and Charles Vietzen. One of the smashers was a woman. The crusaders are in jail.

Don Carlos to Abolition.

Madrid, Feb. 21.—The Madrid papers publish a rumor that Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, has decided to abdicate in favor of his son, Don Jaime, who is supported by a majority of the Carlists.

Continued Injury Serious.  
Cincinnati, Feb. 21.—Champion J. J. Jeffries' injured knee threatens to put him out of the pugilistic game. Jeffries, who is playing a week's engagement at one of the local theaters, was examined by a noted surgeon and his ailment pronounced as floating cartilage. One of the symptoms is a sudden, sickening pain that may cause vomiting and sometimes a fainting spell.

Contained a Human Body.  
Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 21.—A trunk which was supposed to be empty was shipped from here to Kingston by William Patterson, a medical student at Queen's university. Suspicion he came aroused and the trunk was opened. It was found to contain a human body. Patterson was arrested at Belleville.

China Yields.  
Peking, Feb. 21.—The Chinese have yielded on the question of punishments, and it is announced that the demand of the powers will be fully complied with. The reply of the court has not yet been communicated to the legations, but it is known to have been received by Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang.

Aimed at Hazing.  
Washington, Feb. 21.—Mr. Sherman offered in the house an amendment designed to prohibit hazing at the naval academy on penalty of dismissal. This amendment was pending on a point of order when the house adjourned.

## DEWET

Again Proves Too Wily  
to be Caught.

Lord Kitchener's Second Narrow  
Escape

Has Persuaded Him to Quit the Ex-  
cursion Business and Remain  
at Pretoria—No News  
from Botha.

London, Feb. 21.—Lord Kitchener's second narrow escape from capture calls out warnings as to the danger of his rapid flittings by train from place to place. It is considered better for him to remain in Pretoria than to risk upsetting his carefully elaborated plan of campaign. As Lord Kitchener is now back in Pretoria, the inference is that General Dewet has again escaped from the supposed cordon. There is no further news of General French's pursuit of Commandant General Botha in the eastern Transvaal.

## ENVOYS

Have Made a Back Down in  
the Chinese Situation.

Will Permit the Imperial Court to  
Commute Some of the Sentences  
of Decapitation.

Peking, Feb. 21.—The foreign envoys have agreed to a compromise. They propose to permit the imperial court to commute the sentences of decapitation in the cases of Prince Tuan, Duke Lien and General Tung Fu Hsiang to life imprisonment, and will agree to the following punishments: Prince Chuang to be strangled, Yu Hsien to be decapitated, Chao Shu Chiao and Ying Nien to be permitted to strangle themselves and Chi Hsien and Hsu Cheng Wu to be beheaded in Peking.

## TREATY

Of the Hay-Pauncefote Fame  
Will be Considered.

British Government Will Soon Take  
Action Upon the United States  
Senate's Amendments.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Ambassador Choate has cabled the state department a brief outline of the interview between himself and Lord Lansdowne respecting the pending Hay-Pauncefote treaty. While Lord Lansdowne's response did not indicate exactly when an answer might be expected from the British government or the character of that answer, the hope is entertained that the British government, before the expiration of the date allowed for the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty, March 4, will take action, either directly upon the senate amendments themselves or in the direction of extending the time limit, so as to continue the pendency of the treaty.

## CUBAN

Affairs Are Gradually Assuming a  
More Definite Form.

Future Relations With U. S.

Is One of the Very Knotty Problems That Now  
Has Special Committee Guessing And  
They May Send a Committee  
to Washington.

Havana, Feb. 21.—The special committee appointed by the Cuban constitutional convention to draw up a proposition defining the future relations between the United States and the republic of Cuba continues in secret session. The committee is expecting Governor General Wood to send an official letter setting forth what he considers the relations should be, so that the convention may act with a better understanding of the desires of the United States. General Wood says he told the special committee to inform the convention that he represented the policy of the executive department at Washington, and that he could not say how congress would act in the matter. Any communication which he may address to the committee will be on these lines.

It was intimated that the convention might appoint a special committee to go to Washington with the constitution and settle the whole question before congress. The committee is practically unanimous against naval stations at Havana, Cienfuegos or Santiago. Some of the delegates say they will readily grant the request if the stations are located say on the Isle of Pines and the others on smaller islands.

Revision of Cuban Tariff.  
Washington, Feb. 21.—As a result of several conferences between the secretary of war and the Cuban economic committee, correspondence has been opened with General Wood at Havana, with a view to the creation of a joint commission for the revision of the tariff of Cuba. The commission probably will consist of five members, three representatives of the United States and two representing Cuba. No action will be had in the matter until the views of General Wood on the subject have been received.

Justice Brewer on Philippines.

New Haven, Feb. 21.—The last of the five lectures on the responsibilities of citizenship were delivered at Yale by Justice David Brewer of the United States supreme court. Justice Brewer expressed the fond hope and the assurance that in congress there is a growing dislike of the spirit of commercialism, and inveighed against treatment of the Philippines such that another century might give cause to the United States to regret the course that had been pursued.

Wetzel to Talk.

London, Feb. 21.—It has long been rumored that Lord Wolseley intended to reveal the difficulties with which he had to contend as commander-in-chief in getting the government and the treasury to sanction necessary military measures. He will address the house of lords next week on the subject, the Duke of Bedford putting the leading question.

Offered to Roberts.

London, Feb. 21.—Lord Roberts, it is asserted, has been offered the lord wardenship of the Cinque ports, which the Marquis of Salisbury desires to relinquish. The post was formerly held by the Duke of Wellington.

## MINERS

Caught in a Shaft Like  
So Many Rats

When a Flood of Water  
Poured in Upon Them.

The Stream of Water Pours Into the  
Mine as Fast as it Can be  
Pumped Out and Rescue  
is Still Impossible.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 21.—Thirteen negro miners were entombed in the coal mines of the state insane asylum, about two miles from Tuscaloosa, by a flood of water from an abandoned shaft which rushed in upon the men without warning, filling the mine to the depth of 10 feet. There is a large force of hands at work pumping the water out of the mines, but little progress is being made, as it fills up almost as rapidly as it is pumped out. The fate of the entombed miners is problematical. It is thought it will take from 24 to 48 hours to clear the mines.

Brought Back to Ohio.

New York, Feb. 21.—Harry Smeltzer, 16, who ran away from his home in Findlay, O., last November, was discharged by Judge Lent in White Plains. The boy was arrested there while in the company of the Kell brothers, the jockeys, some time ago. He said that he ran away from home to become a jockey. He is the son of well-to-do parents and his uncle started back to Ohio with him.

Carnegie's Gift.

Marion, Ind., Feb. 21.—Andrew Carnegie notified Marion school board that he would give \$50,000 towards a \$100,000 public library building, to be built here, if the city would provide \$5,000 per year for its support. A special meeting of the city council accepted the proposition.

Callahan Was a Publisher.

Deerfield, Wis., Feb. 21.—James Callahan, who was arrested in Omaha on the charge of being implicated in the Cudahy kidnaping affair, formerly published The Enterprise in this village. His habits were good and he conducted himself in every way like a gentleman.







## WOMEN WHO SUFFER.

Thousands Everywhere Who Endure Terrible Torture.

Each Often Welcomed as a Means of Relief.

Little Knowledge Would Often Avert Much Agony.

Women are the sufferers of the human race. Their delicate organization is the cause of much suffering. It is not only the cause of much suffering, but it is also the cause of much joy. It is the cause of much suffering, but it is also the cause of much joy. It is the cause of much suffering, but it is also the cause of much joy.

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## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Some couples manage to get fat while staying away.

It takes a good artist or a good actor to draw a good horse.

One way to become round is to eat only of square meals.

Ability is the art of doing only what are capable of doing.

The man who owes his shoemaker more than his sole his own.

Marrying a man to reform him is like taking whiskey to destroy it.

A man may be able to argue with a woman, but it never does any good.

The five great powers—Love, money, revenge, ambition and a good dinner.

Some people have been on the stage their lives and still long to be actors.

May a man by virtue of his ancestry be only the shadow of a mighty man.

Never attempt to bully a judge or try unless you have previously bribed him.

Nine times out of ten when the unexpected happens we bring it on ourselves.

The inventor of a salt cellar that will save salt in it will supply a bag-fell want.

A west side phrenologist claims he can tell what a barrel contains by examining its head.

The wagon tongue says never a word, but it gets there ahead of the rest of the outfit. It might be well for some people to make a note of this.—Chicago News.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

Public Requests in America.

During the year just ended the total number of requests in this country was \$62,461,644, against \$79,749,965 in 1899.

The amount given to educational institutions in 1900 was \$34,932,644; to charities, \$13,621,722; to churches, \$8,490,906; to museums and art galleries, \$145,338, and to libraries \$2,961,000.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me with no success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave me immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly commend this wonderful remedy."

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

## LENT

Effects the Social Whirl

And the Clubs.

Those Who Observe the Sacred Season

Will Have Sacrifices to Make That Will Interrupt the Festive Life

That Has Been Like One Continuous Round of Pleasure Since the Festivities Began.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson of west High street were the genial entertainers of the Central Pedro club Monday evening at their meeting before the Lenten season. A progressive game with all its attendant pleasures was played and the royal prizes were secured by Mr. Callahan and Mrs. Moran, the former receiving a paper knife, the latter a hand-painted plate. The other prizes fell to Mrs. McGray and Mr. Dutton.

Saturday morning at eleven o'clock, Miss Nannie Francis of south west street, gave a charming little breakfast in honor of Mrs. Morgan, of Alliance.

Mrs. Ed. DeGray was the hostess of the Etude club Tuesday afternoon and the interesting program was arranged as follows:

Music of all Nations.

Am India Tale.....Loewe

Enlightened.....Cowan

Meledy.....MacDonald

Polish Song of.....Chopin

Haunt of the Witches.....Oscar

Volkslied.....Mendelssohn

Killarney.....Mair

Conversations led by Mrs. H. P. Williams

International Festivals.....Epstein

Madame Bigley and Hailfall.

Monday evening the Clonians enjoyed a typical Martha Washington Tea Party at the home of Mrs. N. S. Murdoch of west Spring street. Each dance was dressed in colonial fashion with high powdered hair and bewitching toilettes. The decorations were in keeping with the spirit of the occasion and the program was devoted to George and Martha Washington. The menu was written on quaint little hatches and at the table a historical contest set their wits working, resulting in Mrs. Moening and Mrs. Penne securing the trophies, pretty pictures of George and Martha Washington. At the close of the evening, Mrs. I. S. Motter addressed the club on matters pertaining to the public library.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. McCoy Monday evening the F.S.E. Card club held their last meeting for this season. Mrs. Karl Kirk, of Toledo was the only guest and the game of progressive pedro, an unusually interesting one, as it closed the contest for high scores. Mr. Harry Moulton was the man holding the highest number. Mrs. D. H. Sullivan was the most successful woman, while Mrs. Wm. Parmenter and Mrs. W. M. Irish were the holders of the lowest number of points.

The Dorcas society will meet with Mrs. Stoppard at 825 east Market street on Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

At the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McVey, of north Main street, Monday evening the following guests were royally entertained: Mr. and Mrs. Len Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cantwell, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Doolin, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Madigan and Mr. and Mrs. John McNeff. Progressive pedro was warmly contested. Mrs. Wm. Cantwell receiving the ladies' trophy, a beautiful hand-painted plate, and the successful gentleman was John McNeff, who received a box of cigars. A dainty lunch was served, followed by dancing and musical numbers by Miss Florence McVey, Mr. and Mrs. Madigan and Mrs. Cantwell.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

The special services at First Baptist Church are gradually growing in interest and spiritual power. Dr. W.

C. Taylor is a preacher of large scriptural knowledge and of rare heart power. His sermon Tuesday evening was a strong presentation of "Divine Sonship." He emphasized the sharp scriptural distinction between children of light and sons of darkness and denounced belief in the universal fatherhood of God and the universal brotherhood of man as unscriptural. Only children of light have a right to say "Our Father."

Miss Ethel Heffner's solos were greatly enjoyed and added much to the spiritual interest of the service. Tonight at 7:30. Welcome. Sermon, "Do you love Jesus?"

## SAVED FROM FATHER.

Slave-Dealing Chinese Attempt to Sell Their Daughter.

Because her father, Leong Kow, was planning to sell her, Ah Ti, a Chinese girl 12 years old, was taken from her home recently by Donaldine Cameron of the Presbyterian mission and Secretary Kane of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, says the San Francisco Chronicle. Her father, Leong Kow, was the real owner of the five slave girls who were auctioned off in Chinatown the other day, and at least one of them is said to be his daughter, the sister of Ah Ti. Another daughter of his family is Leong Pong, the girl who eloped with an actor from the Jackson street theater a fortnight ago in order to avoid just such a transaction. At the auction of the slave girls Ah Ti was offered for sale with the others. Owing to her youth there was no bids at the auction, even the Chinese refusing to be a party to the sale of a mere child. She was held for sale, however. Her mother, Ah Chow, conducting the negotiations. A purchaser was found for her in the interior, and she was to have been delivered as soon as the transaction could be completed. The little girl had been attending the Occidental school, but was absent all the week. Her absence caused Mrs. Cameron, who knew the record of her mother as a trader in slave girls, to become suspicious. Investigation revealed the proposed sale. Secretary Kane of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, Miss Cameron and Mrs. Brown of the mission, teacher of the Occidental school, and four policemen under Corporal Anthony, began a systematic search through Chinatown for the girl. Watch was kept over the houses where Leong Kow conducts his traffic, while Miss Cameron and Kane proceeded to Leong Kow's home. A Chinese woman of the mission called up the stairs as they approached: "Ah Ti, your teacher wants to see you." Fearing that this was a signal, Kane dashed up the stairs just as the child came running out of the kitchen of her home, seized her in his arms before the mother, who was on guard, could prevent, and hurried her away. The child, after her first fright at being caught up by a strange man, appeared glad that she was being taken away from her home, and was happy and smiling at the mission. She is a remarkably pretty child and one of the brightest pupils at the school. She was a member of the Chinese King's Daughters and had been regular in attendance. The father and mother called at the mission later and made every effort to see the child. Ah Chow asserted that Ah Ti had been kept out of school because she had sewing to do. The ladies of the mission who were afraid that the parents would try to intimidate the child, refused to let any one see her. She says herself that her parents were going to send her away, but does not appear to know the purpose for which her removal was intended.

## STORYETTES.

A guide was showing an American traveler about St. Paul's Cathedral, London, the other day, and pointed out all the tombs of interest. "That, sir," said he, "is the tomb of the great naval hero Europe or the world never knew—Lord Nelson's." This marble sarcophagus weighs 42 tons. Hinside that his steel receptacle weighing 12 tons, and hinside that is a leaden casket, "ermatinside sealed, weighing over two tons. Hinside that is a mahogany coffin, holding the ashes of the great hero." "Well," replied the American, after meditating a bit, "I guess you've got him all right. If ever he gets out of that, cable me in full at my expense."

An actor and his wife had a funny experience recently in Toronto. They were playing a piece in which the wife enacted the part of a woman dentist, and one evening the husband received a note asking him to call at a certain house. He did so the next day, and was greeted by an old man and wife, the latter of whom said to him: "Me and my mate fell in love with your missus last night. She was so gentle with you when you was a-sittin' of the dentist chair. I'm gettin' on now, and all my teeth is gettin' loose, and my mate wants me to go to the dentist shop and 'ave 'em pulled, but I knows as 'ow they hurts, and I want to know if you and your missus will come around 'ere and 'ave 'em with us, 'ave a little singin' and enjoy ourselves, and your missus before she leaves kindly pull out a few of these old stumps, as I know she'll be as kind and gentle as she was to you?"

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

## THE ART.

HE IS A GREAT PRODUCER OF AUTOMATIC MACHINERY.

His Accomplishments During the Nineteenth Century Will Be Illustrated in a Comprehensive Manner at the Pan-American Exposition.

The Machinery and Transportation features of the Pan-American Exposition promise to be of superior interest. The inventive Yankee has for a hundred years been particularly active in producing machinery. Every year adds new laurels to his well decorated brow, and he can but marvel at his own progress. In recent years he has been particularly active in producing automatic machinery. It is said that with the first steam engines it was necessary to have a boy work the eccentrics. One day a particularly bright boy who preferred play to work threw himself out of a job by fixing the eccentrics to work automatically. American inventive genius has been building more and more of a class of machines that will feed themselves and perform their intricate work without other attention than starting and stopping.

The Machinery Exhibits will include the most modern agricultural machinery and appliances. There has been

## WHAT A BRIDAL COUPLE SAW

Wonderful Objects of Interest Added to the Many Features at Niagara Falls.

In 1884 Herbert Wilson, whose home was in an adjoining state, visited Niagara Falls on his wedding trip. On leaving the hotel he took his bride to the park, so that she might drink in the full beauty of the great cataract. The highest hopes of both were realized, and their hearts were happy. Both felt nothing could interest them more than that beautiful scene. Fifteen years later Mr. and Mrs. Wilson again found themselves at the Falls. When they were there before, there was a charge to view the Falls. Now it was free. However, Mr. Wilson's order to the cabman when he left the hotel was to drive to the big power house. In the years that had elapsed since his marriage Mr. Wilson had become interested in the industrial growth of the country. He was alert to the possibilities of the electrical development, and on this second trip to the Falls the thing he wanted to look upon first was the wonderful power station.

It is so with thousands. The Niagara power development has set the world to thinking on this subject. From all sections, from all countries, men travel to Niagara to view the installation in the central station of the Niagara Falls Power company and in the station of

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# GOLD DUST

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Activity may lead to evil; but inactivity cannot be led to good.—Hannah More.

Lands mortgaged may return, but honesty once pawned is never redeemed.—Middletown.

Heaven's eternal wisdom has decreed that man should ever stand in need of man.—Theocritus.

The sower of the seed is assuredly the author of the whole harvest of mischief.—Demosthenes.

I will chide no breather in the world but myself, against whom I know most faults.—Shakespeare.

A little jogging puts a watch or clock out of frame; so a little passion the heart.—Philip Henry.

Let a man keep the law—any law—and his way will be strewn with satisfaction.—R. W. Emerson.

Look within. Within is the fountain of good; and it will ever bubble up, if thou wilt dig.—Marcus Aurelius.

The most harm in the world is not done by bad men, but by the limitations of good men.—Dr. Creighton.

A wise man stands firm in all extremities, and bears the lot of his humanity with a divine temper.—Seneca.

We sometimes think we dislike flattery, but we only dislike the way in which people flatter us.—La Rochefoucauld.

We prepare ourselves for sudden deeds by the reiterated choice of good or evil that gradually determine character.—George Eliot.

There is no shame in poverty or in slavery if we neither make ourselves poor by our improvidence or slaves by our voracity.—Aesop.

If thou canst not make thyself such an one as thou wouldst, how canst thou expect to have another in all things to thy liking?—Thomas a Kempis.

If we could sweep intemperance out of the country there would be hardly poverty enough left to give healthy exercise to the charitable impulses.—Phillips Brooks.

Whi I have heard called a merchant prince, trading with the whole world; whilst waggery is a greengrocer, making up small penn'orths for the local vulgar.—Douglas Jerrold.

Setting out on thy soul's pilgrimage, unite to thyself what hearts thou canst. Know well that a hundred holy temples of Mecca have not the value of a heart.—Omar Khayyam.

What Shall We Have for Desert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer today. Try Jell-O, a delicious desert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking; add hot water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers, 10c.

Correspondence Gets Mixed.

Three congressmen now in Washington have found it necessary on account of the similarity of their names to hold a sort of clearing-house for their mail every morning. They are Messrs. Robinson of Indiana, Robertson of Louisiana and Robinson of Nevada. Misdirected letters cause them to read each other's correspondence and all have given up trying to keep family secrets.

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A Question of Competency.

There is an early sequel to the story of the California legislature's disregard of expense and decency in the appointment of legislative employees. It has been said in the senate that only two of the six stenographers appointed for that body know anything about the business, and an investigating committee has been appointed.

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We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN D. CRITES, of Elletts, as a candidate for the endorsement of the Allen county Democracy at its April primary, as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator at the district convention.

## REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. M. WATT, of Jackson township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

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## INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES GOBLE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. BECHTOL, of German township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director of Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

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## COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of I. D. CRIDER, of German township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

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We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Commissioner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. F. GETZ, of Bath township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

## TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. GENSEL as a candidate for renomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the

Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

## CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

FOR MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

We are authorized to announce the name of RICHARD STONE, for member of City Council from the Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB J. HARGE, for member of City Council from Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

By request of many friends, please announce the name of JEROME SHINE for Councilman, Second ward, subject to Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARMON as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL DOYLE, as a candidate for member of Council from the First ward.

## JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Times-Democrat is authorized by the friends of attorney BEN S. HENDERSON to announce his name as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the city of Lima at its coming primary election.

## WATER WORKS TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN THOMPSON, SR., of the Fourth ward, as a candidate for Water Works Trustee.

The high protective tariff apostles are in a fair way to have a practical demonstration of the evils of the protective system. The discrimination of Russia against different products from the United States caused by Secretary Gage's interpretation of the present tariff law has brought down upon that individual the wrath of all the big manufacturing concerns whose business relations with the Czar's country have amounted annually to many millions of dollars, most of which will be cut off by Russia's new tariff law.

The people will eventually learn that the policy of the Republican party in legislating in favor of a privileged few will bring about retaliatory measures from foreign countries which will work to the undoing of this nation's prosperity insofar as it depends upon foreign trade.

The Gazette's political editor this morning made the statement that Mr. VanGunten had withdrawn from the race as a candidate for sheriff. Mr. VanGunten called upon Editor Campbell this morning and demanded his authority for the statement. As usual Archie ducked, and blamed the night man for the unauthorized statement. Mr. VanGunten wishes us to state that he has not withdrawn from the race and does not intend to do so.

The property owners of east High street are in earnest in their opposition to the payment of the assessment for the paving of that street. They do not see why any extra price that contractors were obliged to pay for teams, etc., after the contract had been awarded should be charged up against property owners. That difference should be a matter for the contractors to pay, not the taxpayer.

The Lima Gazette is greatly worried over the presence of a "ring" which they claim to have discovered in the Democratic party. It would be more to the point if the Gazette would devote its energies to explaining the absence of "rings" in the sewers of the city which the specifications under which the work was sold provided should be placed in them.

The Same Everywhere.

Imperialism and despotism are pretty much the same everywhere. The English depot captive Boers to St. Helena, and now General MacArthur has ordered the exile of 20 prominent Filipinos to Guam. These men have been guilty of the crime of fighting for their freedom and independence. When the Spaniards deported Cuban patriots, what a shout of execration all Americans sent up! It makes a difference whose ox is gored!—New York Times.

He Laughs Last.

A smile is liable to wreath Senator Clark's features as he gazes upon Senator Chandler's figure receding down the pike that leads from Washington to New Hampshire.—Kansas City Times.

## "US FOUR AND NO MORE."



## GERMAN SUBSIDIES.

## Will Hanna Never Learn?

That Senator Hanna possesses great tenacity of purpose and that to this is principally owing his political and business success is well known. This quality he again exhibits in his endeavor to save his ship subsidy bill in such a very remarkable manner that we can hardly speak of his perseverance, but rather of his thick-headedness. In spite of the fact that he has owing to different causes not the slightest prospect of reaching his goal in this session, he never ceases his endeavor to carry on a propaganda for it.

A short time ago his chief argument was that the development of the German merchant marine could be traced to the subsidy and therefore was deserving of our imitation. We took occasion, forthwith, to give the information that Senator Hanna was grossly in error, and he has allowed this argument to drop, but has immediately thought out a new one. He now admits that the German government directly subsidizes only those lines which maintain the intercourse with the colonies and which could not support themselves without aid. But he asserts, as we are informed from Washington, that the German government grants especially favorable railroad freight charges upon products intended for export and consequently puts the exporter in position to pay higher freight charges on the sea, which amounts to the same thing as an indirect support to the merchant marine by the imperial government. In this assertion Mr. Hanna is again greatly in error.

On Oct. 1, 1893, a universal specific tariff was introduced upon the collective German railroads which rests upon the principle of making lower charges for great distances. In fact a sort of zone tariff. In passing we may remark that this policy was previously followed here with us by the railroads, but was warmly opposed by the public. Through the well known "long and short haul clause" of the interstate commerce law discrimination of any sort is expressly forbidden.

In the German railroad tariff policy this idea is particularly aimed at to furnish the agricultural products of the east a market place in the west—in fact, a partially to the same at the expense of industry which has given cause enough for complaint over the favoritism to the agrarian and the inhabitant of the east of the Elbe. Except in this particular the new specific freight tariff admits of no special favor for certain wares that arrive for export, and it cannot, therefore, be said that by this means higher shipping freight could be possible. With this the entire Hanna argument falls to pieces. We are curious to see what Senator Hanna will now think out for himself.—New York Staats-Zeitung.

The Ship Subsidy Bill.

The exports of the United States have been rapidly growing under the present conditions of ocean traffic, and they are now the wonder of the world, exceeding our imports in the last four years by more than \$2,000,000,000. The growth of them has been promoted by low freight rates. So far as ocean carriage is concerned, that growth can be increased only by a reduction of those rates. The bill makes no reduction; its provisions do not promise any. On the other hand, it gives a very large part of the bounty to fast passenger steamships which carry very little freight and have room for only a small quantity. At the same time the complaint is made by some owners of slow freight carriers that the bill would work to their disadvantage and in favor of a little group of men who framed the bill and would be the chief beneficiaries of it.

The bill does not encourage the employment of American seamen. The Seamen's union declares that it would not increase the number of American sailors. Indeed, the requirements as to the employment of Americans on the steamships now receiving mail pay would be substituted for present requirements, which are much more exacting. Ships that now must have crews one-half American would be allowed to reduce the American proportion to one-quarter, and would not be compelled to employ any Americans whatever. If they "cannot be reasonably obtained." There is no evidence that the government would be perceptibly assisted in respect to auxiliary cruisers; for the chief advocates of the bill have testified that under the pro-

visions of it no ships having a speed of more than 17 knots would be built.

But it is perfectly clear that the provisions of the bill have been carefully fitted to the requirements of a small number of men and companies whose interests are concerned with the carrying of agricultural products or manufactured goods. It was the exposure of this careful adaptation of its provisions to the needs or the greed of this group that excited throughout the country the opposition with which the industrious friends of the measure have been confronted. It was not a difficult matter to obtain popular approval in a party for the revival of the American merchant marine, but we are confident that it could not have been procured if it had been explained. Some opponents of it have called it class legislation. It is something much worse than that; it is legislation for a group, for the pockets of a few, and it involves the appropriation of \$180,000,000 of tax revenue for the benefit of this group.—Independent, New York.

## NEW YORK MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

## Opposed to the Ship Subsidy Bill.

In the current number of The Review of Reviews Mr. William F. King, president of the New York Merchants' association, severely criticises the pending ship subsidy bill, especially the proposition to admit certain foreign built ships to the privilege of subsidy. He says:

"Naturally enough, the amount of tonnage to be constructed in American yards would be curtailed to the extent to which foreign tonnage would become entitled to American registry. This, it seems to us, will not serve to develop the American shipbuilding industry in the manner in which it ought to be developed and will not tend toward the investment of capital in the building up of new shipyards to take advantage of the impetus which ought to be given toward that particular line of industry. Therefore, it is that we say, as a reason for opposing this particular provision of the bill, that an unduly large proportion of the subsidy would go to a few men."

"Then, again, we feel that it is dangerous to place in the hands of a few, no matter how well intentioned they may be, the power which the concentration of such a large tonnage would give them, especially when that tonnage is subsidized. It might enable them to create a combination which would serve to drive away competition. The natural tendency of that would be to advance rates for the temporary benefit of owners of the tonnage, and this in turn would serve not to expand the exporting of American products, but rather to curtail it."

"We have tried frequently to obtain an explanation of the reason for grafting this provision on the bill. It has been said by its promoters that it was the best bill that could be prepared under the circumstances and that the foreign tonnage section was a matter of expediency. What these circumstances were has not been officially disclosed. It would seem, however, that the principle of admitting foreign tonnage to American registry and half subsidy was incorporated in the bill for the purpose of allowing those Americans who owned that tonnage to reap some benefit from the subsidy to be paid."

## Withdraw the Bill.

We have hoped that the promoters of this bill would withdraw it after the seething public exposure of its real character and purpose. The continued demand by prominent Republicans for the passage of it has been a serious and deplorable political blunder. We trust that even now those who have been led to press for the enactment of it can be induced to remove it from the public view and consign it to some obscure resting place from which it can never be brought to light again. But if they shall persist in their folly it will be the duty of those who oppose them to prevent the passage of the bill by all honorable means and to make the majority against it large enough to discourage hereafter.—Independent, New York (Independent Republican).

## The Hanna Brand of Logic.

Hanna says the lake shipyards can build ships cheaper than the Atlantic yards; J. J. Hill says the Atlantic yards can build ships cheaper than the British yards; therefore, says Hanna, we must have a subsidy to encourage shipbuilding. Hanna is always logical in his demands on the public purse.—Helena (Mon.) Independent.

## AN INTERESTING COMPARISON.

## British Versus American Subsidies.

In the report of the commission on navigation for the year 1900 we find that the steamships of the Cunard and White Star lines received from the British government for the 12 months ending March 31, 1900, as mail subsidy \$552,200 and as admiralty subsidies the sum of \$223,800—in all, \$776,000. There were 13 of these ships. Four of them are 20 knot vessels, and three others maintain a speed of above 21 knots. Their total tonnage is 130,556, and they made 109 trips from New York to Liverpool.

On page 198 of this report we find an estimate of the subsidy that would have been received by the four American vessels of the International Navigation company for trips actually made during the 12 months ending Dec. 31, 1899, had the proposed Hanna-Payne bill been in operation. The total subsidy of these four ships under the senate bill is there estimated to be \$1,117,667. The total tonnage is 44,000. None of them is over a 21 knot vessel, and they made but 45 trips from New York to Southampton.

Comparing subsidy with subsidy, we find that the proposition of the Hanna-Payne bill is for us to pay to four ships of the International Navigation company over 50 per cent more subsidy than is paid by the British government for both mail pay and admiralty subsidies to 13 ships with three times the gross tonnage and making more than twice as many trips.

That is to say, the senate subsidy bill provides for the payment of subsidy at the rate of three times the amount per gross ton paid by England for both mail pay and admiralty subsidies.

Nor is that the worst of it. For these four ships of the American line are so much slower than the four fastest ships of the Cunard and White Star lines that in order to get our mails carried in anything like proper time we were obliged, in spite of our already too liberal mail subsidy to the American line, to have a large part of our mail carried by the ships of these two British lines—which was done at a cost of \$223,511.75.

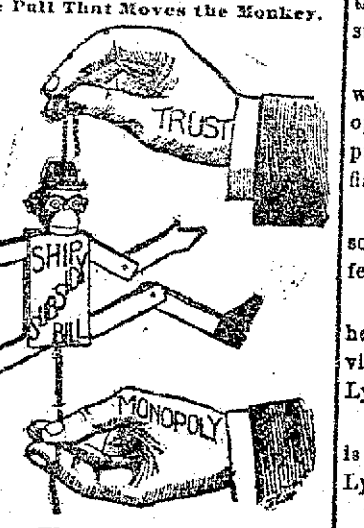
To get an idea of the way the proposed subsidy to the American line compares with the cost of sending the mails by other lines one has only to glance at the following statement compiled from the report of the superintendent of foreign mails for the fiscal year 1900:

	American Line, Cunard Line.	White Star and Elder Line.
Letters carried, grams.....	72,011,570	131,266,028
Printed matter, grams.....	2,007,273	1,007,273
grams.....	72,013,573	132,273,301
Total, grams.....	72,013,573	132,273,301
Compensation.....	\$25,320,773	\$33,420,000
Proposed subsidy.....	\$25,320,773	\$33,420,000

Yet the average time made by the four ships of the American line between New York and London was 153 1-2 hours, while that made by the four best ships of the two British lines was 174 1-2 hours.

In other words, we are already paying the American line nearly three times as much for carrying a part of our mails as we are paying the British ships for carrying a much larger portion and in quicker time. And in the face of this it is proposed to double the subsidy of the American line.

## The Pull That Moves the Monkey.



No Weakening Now.

The subsidy bill is in the hands of its enemies. Mr. Frye allowed it to be displayed by the army reorganization bill, which he said he considered the most important measure before congress. That means that the Democrats can beat the shipping bill if they will.

There are some weak sisters on the anti-subsidy side who object to any vigorous fight against the steal. They say that its adversaries should content themselves with a formal opposition, leaving the administration to take the responsibility for its passage.

That argument, never very moral or very wise, is entirely misplaced at the present time. The responsibility for the passage of the subsidy steal will rest not only upon those who are active in putting it through, but upon those who could prevent its passage and do not.

A helpless minority can justly shift all responsibility for dishonest legislation upon the majority, but in the present case the minority is not helpless. It is in absolute control of the situation, and it will have to bear its share of the blame for any crimes it allows to be committed. It can win no credit by "playing politics." Congress will have to pass the army reorganization bill, the revenue reduction bill and the appropriation bills, besides doing something about the Philippines and Cuba. The subsidy bill cannot be passed without the consent of its opponents, and they cannot give that consent without amending themselves with some of the tar of the job.—New York Journal.

## WILL

## Encourage a Market House

## On South Side

## Merchants are a Unit on the Idea

## And if Found Necessary Will Erect Temporary Stands.

## South Side Gun Club Are Looking Forward to an Interesting Event to Take Place Tomorrow.

The matter of having a market place soon established on the ground secured for that purpose in south Lima sometime ago, is being very earnestly agitated by merchants and residents of the South Side. An effort will be made to have the market place arranged in some form, capable for use in the spring, even if temporary stalls have to be erected. Business men in this locality, are almost a unit in the belief that the establishment of a market would be of general benefit, and are doing everything in their power, to get matters shaped up properly. It is claimed a well organized effort will be put into operation in a few days, and unceasingly urged forward, to the end it is hoped, that the market will be established and ready for business this summer.

Yesterday a business transaction was consummated whereby Shockey & Co., the south Main street grocers, transferred their store to R. G. Platt, and Gordon Babore, the new firm to be known as Platt & Babore. The senior member is well known in commercial circles, having long been connected with the business at the head of which he now stands. His partner is a former railroad man. The retiring and incoming firms have the good wishes of many.

Yesterday evening at Grace church, Rev. W. H. Leatherman officiating, Miss Florence Winegardner, Waynesville, and William H. Bowers, of Delaware, were quietly wedded in the presence of a few friends. Both the young people are well and favorably known; having the best wishes of a number of friends. They will make their future home at 519 south Main street.

Mrs. Will Kelfer, of Forest avenue, who underwent a serious surgical operation some time ago, does not improve very rapidly, and is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Perry Tadtlinger, of south Jackson street, is confined to her bed suffering an attack of the grip.

George Hock has returned to his home at Jackson, O., after a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs. M. H. Lyness, of south Main street.

Miss Mayme Hock, of Jackson, O., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. H. Lyness, of south Main street.

Mrs. David O'Rourke, of south Pine street, who was taken suddenly ill a few days ago, is greatly improved, although still very weak.

Mrs. Bert Hammond, of Broadway, has gone to Lakewood on account of the critical illness of her sister.

Henry Mask and wife, of Spencer-ville, returning from their wedding trip to Michigan, visited a short time with John Mask and family, of Central avenue, yesterday.

Tonight, and tomorrow evening, there will be special services at the south Main street Presbyterian church. Joseph Stayner, of Colfax, Ia., is the guest of John W. Arnold, of Second street.

Mrs. W. S. Murry, of west Eureka street, is on the sick list.

Del. Snyder and family left today for an extended tour through the south. They expect to be absent a considerable while, visiting many points of interest.

The south side ladies of the Pathfinders participated in an all day sewing at the home of Mrs. F. M. Cavins, 655 south Main street, today. A pleasant time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Huber, of Bryant, Ind., returned home this morning after a

pleasant visit with James Huffman and family.

Tomorrow, the 22nd, being Washington's birthday, there will be no school at the several south side buildings. The scholars will enjoy a vacation until Monday. Washington programs were rendered in some of the rooms this afternoon.

Tomorrow the long anticipated south Lima Gun club shoot will be held. The presence of excellent marksmen, valuable prizes, and close competition will make the event an exceedingly interesting one.

Mr. and Mrs. Hessel, of Central avenue, are joyfully celebrating the advent of a bouncing baby boy at their home this morning.

S. Spellacy, south Main street, is completely renovating, repapering and painting his grocery room.

Mrs. George Himes, has returned from a few days visit to South Warsaw.

Miss Lillian Shock and Miss Myrtle Giza have returned from a visit with Delphos friends.

Mr. Reeder, of West Carwin, is in this locality on business.

Lee Copeland and George Barrett are home from a brief visit at Delphos.

George W. Wood is convalescing from a severe case of grippe.

Mrs. George Lynch left Tuesday for Bakersfield, Cal., to join her husband, who has been there the past six months.

Tuesday a number of Mrs. W. W. Ballard's friends called at her west Kibby street home to pleasantly remind her of her birthday anniversary, which was joyously celebrated.

There will be a special meeting of the Grace M. E. church Choral society this evening. All members requested to be present.

During the revival at Grace M. E. church there have been over eighty accessions to the church. The meetings will continue all this week.

Al. Altenbach and family, after a pleasant visit with Sidney friends, have returned home.

Miss Amelia Fuelling, of St. Marys, and Elizabeth Fuelling, of New Bremen, who came over to attend Allen Hires L. O. T. M. ball, held in Wheeler hall Tuesday night, are spending a few days with Mrs. Ira J. Robbins, of east Second street.

Mrs. John Marshall, will entertain a number of Rathbone sisters from Columbus Grove tonight.

A special feature of the musical program at the south Lima Baptist church this evening, will be a beautiful solo by E. K. Clapper.

Mrs. Joseph Donhauser and children of Greenlawn avenue, are in Dayton, Mrs. Mrs. Donhauser being called there by the serious illness of her parents.

Mrs. Pirma Van Horn, who has been at Findlay attending the funeral of her mother-in-law, left for Toledo yesterday, to make her spring millinery purchases.

Miss Stella Lafferty, of Columbus Grove, is the guest of Miss Lulu Gantz.

Miss Clara B. Leatherman, of Versailles, is visiting with her brother, Rev. W. H. Leatherman and family, south Elizabeth street.

## F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

## Diamond Cement.

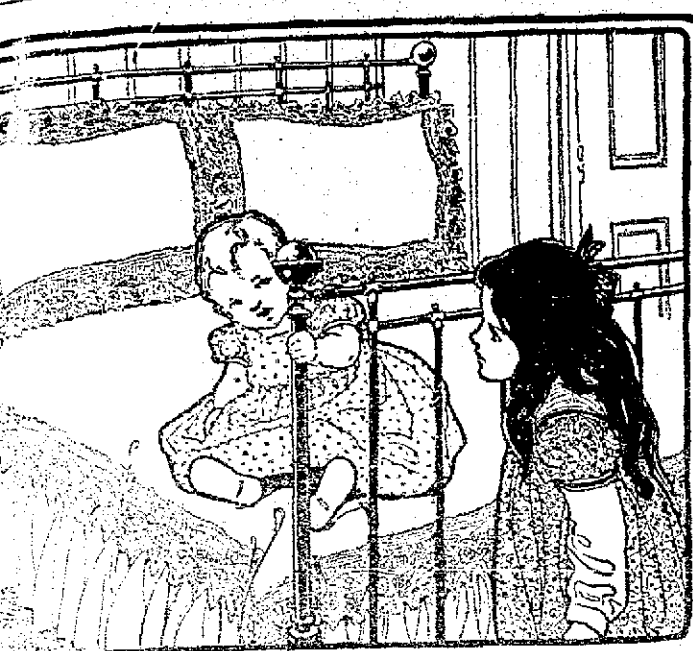
Diamond cement is made as follows: Take five ounces of fine gelatine, four ounces of water, and one ounce of glacial acetic acid. Let the mixture stand for several hours and then heat it to effect solution, after which add ten grains of carbolic acid to preserve the cement. The following formula is given for making the well known cement of Pompeii, or universal cement: Dissolve eight ounces of sugar in twenty-four ounces of water in a glass flask on a water-bath, and to the thin syrup add two ounces of slaked lime. Keep the mixture at a temperature of about 70 to 75 degrees centigrade for three days, shaking frequently; then cool and decant the clear liquid. Dilute six and a half ounces of this liquor with as much water, and in the mixture steep sixteen ounces of fine gelatine for three hours after heating to effect solution. Finally add to the mixture an ounce and a half of glacial acetic acid and fifteen grains pure carbolic acid.

## F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

## Disease in Wake of Storm.

The first death from smallpox in Galveston, Tex., for over two years occurred the other night, when Miss Irlene Saries expired after an illness of three days. The contagion is spreading in Galveston and the weather aggravates the disease. Physicians say that there are from 50 to 100 cases in the city. The city is in a deplorable sanitary condition, according to physicians.





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## RECORD BROKEN.

**Zeller Captured First Place in Two Events.**

**Creasents Won the Basket Ball Game With "Taylor-made" Baskets. Gym. News.**

Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. championship athletic events ran off—the standing high jump the running high dive. Prof. Zeller won both. In the former his jump was 4 feet 4 inches, which is the local record by 2 inches. In the latter, 4 feet 1 inch; Cross third, 4 feet.

A high dive was won by a percentage of 5 feet 6 inches. Three Crossen, Laney, and Wickham tied for second place with a dive of 2 feet 2 inches.

A city league basket ball game was won by the Creasents by a large margin, Taylor having a remarkably fine game. The score:

Points	Points
Creasents.....	22
Opponents.....	10
Total.....	32

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Western Reserve University, of Cleveland, plays the local team here tonight. Lima's team has been somewhat somewhat, Richards now right guard. He has had 10 years' experience at the game. The team work is now better, and although Western Reserve will present the best team seen here, Lima has a fair chance of winning.

## A NEW FIRM

**L. J. Shockey in the Grocery Business.**

Mr. L. J. Shockey and G. W. W. are the members of a promising business firm that has been organized on the south side. They purchased L. J. Shockey's grocery and business and will continue the business in the Crumline on south Main street. Mr. Platt is associated with Mr. Shockey. Several years in the same store and shore is a prominent L. E. & A. director.

—L—S—H at Townsend's.

## LAND

**Value is Still Going Skyward**

**At Beaumont, Jury's Verdict**

**And Clamor for Leases Continues.**

**Oil Men From All Parts of the Country Still Flocking to the Field.**

The American Oil Company Makes Another Good Strike on the Howard Lease, West Minister.

Although several weeks have elapsed since the great Lucas oil gusher was struck near Beaumont, the excitement over the wonderful discovery has not subsided, says an Austin Texas, dispatch to the New York Commercial.

Judge R. A. Greer, member of the legislature from Beaumont, returned here from a visit to that place. He says that the town is crowded with practical oil men from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, California, and that they are all clamoring for leases on lands in the new oil district.

Many thousands of acres of land in that region have been purchased and leased, and the county clerk at Beaumont is six weeks behind in recording leases and deeds. Land values are soaring skyward and many owners of small tracts in the vicinity of the Lucas well, who were poor before the oil strike, have sold out for big fortunes.

Lands situated from 20 to 50 miles distant from the Lucas well have increased in value from \$10 per acre to \$75 per acre. In fact ready purchasers are found at almost any price that may be asked, so wild is the excitement. The practical oil men from other states are more stirred up over the discovery than the home people.

The oil pipe line running from the Lucas well to the ship side of the channel at Port Arthur, a distance of 18 miles, has been completed, and the flow of the Lucas well will be released as soon as the great metal oil tanks now being erected at Port Arthur and the pumping station located midway between the well and the terminus of the pipe line are completed. This will be within the next two weeks.

Scores of oil drilling rigs have arrived, and 28 oil well derricks may be seen from the Lucas well. The extent and value of the new field will be determined within the next three or four weeks.

The owners of the Lucas well have closed some large contracts for the sale of crude oil, and negotiations are pending with the Southern Pacific and the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroads for the sale of oil for use as fuel in the locomotives of these lines. The proposed price at which oil is to be sold is 40c per barrel.

As to the yield, the well at the time it was brought under control and capped was about 30,000 barrels per day. It will bring the owners a gross revenue of about \$12,000 per day.

Oil experts now at Beaumont unanimously predict that many other flows equally as great as the Lucas gusher will be struck in that district, and they also say that a high grade of petroleum will doubtless be found in some of the new wells, but they believe that it will be from 20 to 30 miles distant from the Lucas well.

A GOOD SHOWING.  
The American Oil Co.'s well No. 2, on the widow Howard farm north of Westminster, has been drilled in and has made an excellent showing. It will be put to pumping without being shot and it is believed that the first 24 hours' production will reach from 100 to 150 barrels. Elmer Crossley has secured 200 acres of territory adjoining the Howard lease.

F—S—H at Townsend's.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Clara Leatherman, of Versailles, Ohio, is visiting her brother, Rev. Leatherman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hageman, of 202 east Market street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a charming daughter at their home.

## WON

**His First Criminal Case.**

**Jury's Verdict**

**Gives August Young His Liberty.**

**But His Companion Had No Hope and Pleaded Guilty.**

Henrietta Siferd Wants a Divorce on the Ground of Cross Neglect of Duty and Extreme Cruelty.

Russell Armstrong won a victory yesterday in his defense of August Young, the partner of Ed. Shultz, who was indicted for breaking into the Broker Clothing store. Shultz' plea of guilty, left Young as the only defendant, and Mr. Armstrong was equal to the task of personally managing his defense. The introduction of two prisoners from the county jail, Rush and Ryan, was something of a bomb shell, but when the jury was made acquainted with the former criminal history, they had but little faith in his testimony and refused to hold the defendant guilty.

Shultz will have to suffer for the crime alone, as Young was found to be innocent after a debate of an hour. Prosecuting Attorney Klinger had the facts well developed and naturally counted upon the two associates of Young in the jail as capable of carrying a certain amount of weight, but it seemed to have the opposite effect and Young was declared not guilty. Rush made a brilliant plea for his own salvation when he addressed a long prayer to the court for leniency, but when he was brought face to face with direct questions showing up his past criminal history, he lost the faith that was in him and sullenly replied to the scathing arraignment which was so ably directed by the young attorney who made his first appearance in criminal court.

Young was released from custody and Shultz sent back to jail to await the pleasure of the court to sentence him.

A DISAPPOINTED WIFE.  
Henrietta Siferd filed a petition for divorce today which contains many allegations of cruelty on the part of her husband, Noah Siferd. They were married on the 26th of January, 1885, and have 5 children, but the wife says that the defendant has frequently denied being the father of at least three of them, laying the charge at the door of George Barr, Sam Maxwell and Joseph Johnson. Mrs. Siferd says that in addition to these unsupported charges she has been the victim of much abuse, her husband being guilty of beating and kicking her into a state of insensibility. She wants a divorce and custody of the children.

HOLIDAY TOMORROW.  
Washington's birthday will be acknowledged tomorrow by the court house officials, all of whom will take a day's vacation, and there will be no business transacted unless it be something of especial importance. The jury has been discharged from further service until Monday morning.

A WIFE AT WEST PARK.  
Chief Ramsey, Joe Bing, A. Emmenger and Jesse Cline, were in Lima yesterday and testified in a case against W. Burns, who is accused of stealing a horse and buggy, the latter of which he sold to Mr. Bing. Burns has a wife and child living at West Park.

IN PROBATE COURT.  
The will of the late Wm. M. Crist has been filed for probate, and the hearing has been set for Saturday. Amos Young has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary M. Rost, deceased.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.  
M. H. McCullough to Albert Shultz, lot No. 4230 in McCullough's second addition to Lima, \$325.  
Wm. P. Garrett to Nicholas Nichols, part of lot No. 290 in Bluffton, \$200.

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We use the word "Bargains" guardedly; in some cases the word means 50c of legal tender for \$1.00 of merchandise. Of course its easy to quote prices, but its the quality that tells the tale, and you judge the quality; any statement we may make concerning the value, is as we BELIEVE it to be.

Black satin waists, sizes only 32, 34, 36 and 42, \$7.75 kind for.....\$3.88  
These are duchess satin waists, some full French back, some are yoke, but all are silk back satin and good quality.

A few domet flannel waists, sizes well assorted, \$1.00 kind for.....50c  
These waists are lined body and sleeves, black ground with white dots, red ground with black stripes.

We have made just three pieces of our flannel waists.....\$1.50, \$2.50 and 3.75  
These are French flannel waists, sizes and colors are well assorted, perfect stitching, good fitting waists, that were \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

A misses' double breasted (ton jacket suit; a five piece skirt, inverted plait back, percaline lining, \$20.00 suit for.....\$10.00

A steel grey cloth suit for misses' wear, fly front jacket, inverted plait back skirt, a most serviceable suit, \$18.00 suit for.....\$10.00

Oxford grey fly front jacket suit, inverted plait back skirt, all sleeves lapped and double stitched, \$18.50 suit for.....\$12.50

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## MIX-UP

**Of the Lima Northern is Still in the Courts.**

**Haskell Has His Troubles as a Railroad Magnate**

And is Now Asked to Face the Payment of a Note for \$15,000. Denial of the I. D. & W. Proposed Extension.

Anyone desiring inside information on how railroad stocks and bonds are manipulated and how the process of absorption is brought about, can get sufficient data in Judge Badger's court room during the hearing of the suit brought by Calvin E. Broadhead against C. N. Haskell.

Broadhead and Haskell were mixed up in the old Lima and Northern road and were afterwards interested in the Detroit, Lima and Northern. The suit now being heard was brought by Broadhead against Haskell to recover on a note for \$15,000.

Haskell admits executing the note but he claims that it was given under certain conditions, which conditions were not carried out.—Columbus Press.

HAS NOT BEEN CONSIDERED.

The rumor that preparations are being made to extend the Indiana, Decatur and Western from Decatur west to Springfield, Ill., is without foundation. The I. D. & W. is owned by the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton company. Vice President Eugene Zimmerman, of the C. H. and D. company, who was seen yesterday, said there was no truth in the report, and that there has not been a surveying corps in the field running a line for the proposed extension. Mr. Zimmerman said this question had not been considered by the C. H. & D. or I. D. & W. directors, but intimated that at some future time it was quite possible an extension might be built.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Notes.

A suit for damages has been filed against the Pittsburg at Van Wert by the administrator of the estate of George Sites, for \$1,992.99. The latter was run down and killed by a freight train.

The Illinois Central has contracted for 1,000 box cars of 80,000 pounds capacity each, and the Lake Shore has contracted for 1,500 freight cars, some of which are for the L. E. & W.

Conductor Dave O'Rourke of the L. E. & W., is off duty, suffering from a slight attack of la grippe.

Engineer Emmet Duggan of the L. E. & W., has been off for several days on account of illness.

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## REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Please announce the name of D. C. RICHMOND, Sr., for Water Works Trustee for second term, subject to decision of Republican primary.

We are requested to announce the name of T. A. DOBBINS as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

## Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Mary M. Rost, deceased.  
The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary M. Rost, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.  
Dated this 20th day of February A. D. 1901.  
AMOS YOUNG.

## Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Peter Jacobs, deceased.  
The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Peter Jacobs, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.  
Dated this 21st day of February A. D. 1901.  
JOHN W. JACOBS, Executor.

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The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers' tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been resumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address  
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## War Against Health Foods.

The Michigan Millers' association has started a war against the so-called "health foods" which are so numerous manufactured in that state. They alleged that some of these foods are adulterated with injurious substances.

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4	Thu	7:30 a.m.	13	Thu	7:30 a.m.	22	Thu	7:30 a.m.	31	Thu	7:30 a.m.
5	Fri	7:30 a.m.	14	Fri	7:30 a.m.	23	Fri	7:30 a.m.	32	Fri	7:30 a.m.
6	Sat	7:30 a.m.	15	Sat	7:30 a.m.	24	Sat	7:30 a.m.	33	Sat	7:30 a.m.
7	Sun	7:30 a.m.	16	Sun	7:30 a.m.	25	Sun	7:30 a.m.	34	Sun	7:30 a.m.
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**CARBON MON-OXIDE.**

In Insidious and Fatal Effects Graphically Illustrated.

The recent death of one laundress and narrow escape of another through the breathing of the escaping gases from a laundry stove in which there was a coke fire, both of them overcome while awake and working and in a large room full of doors and windows, recalls the graphic account given by Dr. A. E. Miller of the wholesale poisoning which occurred by this same gas, carbon monoxide, at the Snafeld mining disaster. A rescuing party was overtaken by the gas and one of their number kept writing a description of his sensations as long as his pencil would trace the words. He wrote:

"We all sat without moving or trying to escape; the foot of the ladder was close by yet none of us made any effort to get to it and ascend even a single rung. We none of us ed to walk a dozen steps, which would have led us to the other side of the shaft partition, where we all knew there was a current of better air."

The poisonous gases in these cases were carbon monoxide and dioxide, chiefly the former, both of which are present in ordinary illuminating gas, says the New York Times. The carbon monoxide, which is present in the so-called water gas (which has largely replaced the old-fashioned coal gas in the large cities) to the extent of 20 or 30 per cent. Its insidious and paralyzing nature may be seen from the way in which the rescuing party simply sat down and waited for death, when a few steps would have saved them, and in the fact that two able-bodied, healthy women were overcome while wide awake and not six feet from several doors and windows. The dangerous stealthiness of this gas seems to be due to its gradual combination with the haemoglobin of the blood (which is the agent carrying oxygen to tissues and removing the waste carbon dioxide), into a very stable compound, so stable, in fact, that it prevents the usual absorption of oxygen in the lungs and thus really brings about an asphyxiation of the tissues. It is the poisonous gas given off from burning charcoal, which is sometimes used for suicidal purposes.

**Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.**

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles must be used with extreme care and on prescription from a reputable physician, as the damage they will do is too great to be paid for by the temporary relief they give. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

**PERSONALS.**

James V. Barry, a well-known young newspaper correspondent and publisher of Lansing, Mich., has been appointed insurance commissioner of the state by Gov. Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz L. Reed of Olivet, Mich., celebrated their golden wedding last Wednesday. Mr. Reed was one of the founders of the town and of Olivet college, one of the best-known institutions of learning in the state.

At a meeting of the board of directors, the board of managers and the young ladies' auxiliary of the Home for Crippled Children in Newark, N. J., a gift of \$15,000 was announced from an anonymous benefactor. The donor simply said the money was for "the first wing of the new building."

Dr. Mary M. Wolfe has been elected resident physician of the female department of the Norristown, Pa., Hospital for the Insane. Dr. Wolfe graduated from the medical department of the University of Michigan in 1899. Since last August she has been assistant physician in the same institution.

Arthur M. Clark, who has served as grand lecturer of the Michigan Grand Lodge of Masons for twenty-seven years, declined re-election at the meeting of the Grand Lodge in Detroit recently. It is said of him that no one man in the state has done more for the cause of Masonry than he while holding the office of grand lecturer.

**WORKING OVER TIME.**

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## NOTES ON SCIENCE.

**CURRENT NOTES OF DISCOVERY AND INVENTION.**

**Alcohol and Health—Keeps Roaches On the Table—A Support for Violinists—A Photographic Speed Detector—Tremor from Great Guns.**

**ALCOHOL AND HEALTH.**  
Few questions of the present day are capable of arousing more bitterness of dispute than that concerning the effect of alcohol upon the human system. Some assert that its daily use in moderation is, if not essential, at least beneficial to health, while others hold that the word moderation is inapplicable to the use of wine even in the most minute quantities.

Science, which is impartial and seeks facts alone, without regard to their possible application, does not hold to either of these views in its entirety, but inclines rather to the side of the total abstinence. It does not regard alcohol as a food in the sense that it can be taken regularly as a substitute for the albumens, the fats and the starches of ordinary food; but it does say that it may act as such, in the absence of other food, for a short time, and that its use may in an emergency be life saving.

This is practically placing alcohol with the drugs—substances which may be useful in sickness, but are injurious in health; and that is really where it belongs. It is common belief that a drink of whisky or brandy is warming, but the reverse is the fact. Alcohol dilates the blood vessels of the surface, and so makes the skin feel warm, but at the same time radiation of heat from the surface is increased and the temperature of the body is lowered. The action of alcohol is also to lower the vital processes by causing a slow oxidation of the waste products.

For these two reasons it is often a useful remedy in fevers, especially as it may spur up the heart to increased action for a time, and so enable the system to tide over a critical period. It may even be useful to prevent a cold when the body has been chilled, provided the exposure is passed, by restoring the equilibrium of the circulation. But in these and other cases the remedy is employed to meet an emergency—a very different thing from its habitual use.

The very fact of its interference with the oxidation of the tissues of the body causes depression of the vital forces, and so of the resisting power of the organism by disease germs. And here practice supports theory, for it is a fact of common observation that under equal conditions of exposure the habitual drinker almost always succumbs sooner than the abstainer.

**FISH ENEMIES TO MOSQUITOES.**

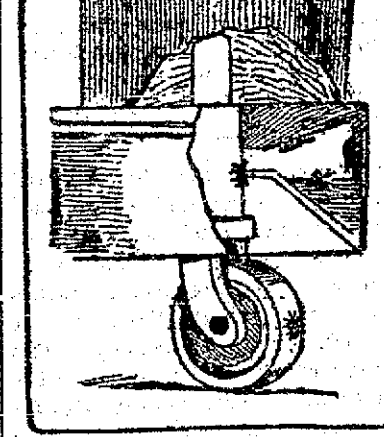
Now that special efforts are being made to exterminate mosquitoes, owing to the belief that certain species of these insects are responsible for the spread of malaria, the fact that small fish are great destroyers of mosquito larvae assumes increased interest. This fact is vouched for by Dr. L. O. Howard of the department of agriculture. He tells of two small lakes formed nearly side by side in Connecticut by an invasion of the sea, one of which contained half a dozen small fish, while the other was fishless. Subsequent examination revealed tens of thousands of mosquito larvae in the fishless lake, but the other contained not one.

**WHY DOES SAP ASCEND?**

Prof. S. H. Vines, president of the section of botany in the British Association, referred in a recent address to the force by which water is raised from the roots to the topmost leaf of a lofty tree, and remarked that it must be regretfully confessed that one more century has closed without bringing a solution of the old problem of the ascent of sap. One of the suggested explanations requires that in a tree 120 feet tall the transpiration force must equal a pressure of 360 pounds to the square inch. But Prof. Vines says there is no evidence that a tension of anything like such an amount exists in a transpiring tree.

**KEEPS ROACHES OFF TABLE.**

To find roaches crawling on the dining-room table fills the heart of many a housewife with disgust, and she is

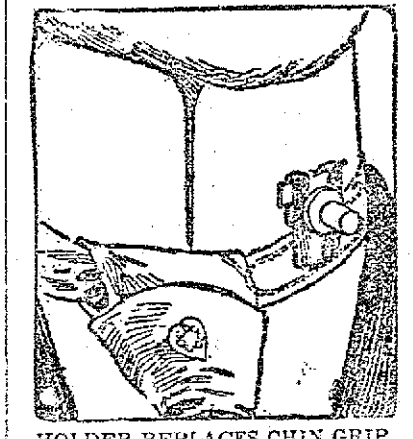


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chances of his reaching the top are small indeed. The slanting upper wall of the trap is highly polished, and this causes many of the insects to fall into the liquid as soon as they attempt to crawl across it. The liquid may be kerosene or some poison, making it impossible for the insects to long survive a bath in the trap. The invention may be used on tables, beds, dressers and, in fact, any article of furniture on which castors are used, as it comprises a castor with an extra long shank, having the trap surrounding the lower portion and adapted to support the leg as shown.

**SUPPORT FOR VIOLINISTS.**

Any violin player, and especially the beginner, is aware that one of the difficulties to be mastered is the gripping of the instrument with the chin to keep it in position. The object of the invention which we present herewith is to do away with this necessity of the player holding his head down in a cramped position, providing a support



**HOLDER REPLACES CHIN GRIP.**  
Which is attached to the garments and is an effective substitute for the old manner of holding the instrument. The device is simply a clamp, with a screw arrangement for attaching it to the necktie or the upper edge of the vest. The dotted lines show the position of a wire brace which is inserted in the band portion of the tie if the clamp is to be fastened to that article of apparel. From the face of the clamp projects a short stud or spindle, on which the instrument is mounted while playing, allowing it to turn freely in the hands. The inventor claims that the support will afford much relief to the player, enabling him to hold his head erect and thus not only relieving him of a cramped and painful position, but also enabling him to have the free use of his head and neck with reference to reading his notes and observing other matters of importance to him in effecting a successful rendering of the music.

**A PHOTOGRAPHIC SPEED DETECTOR.**

A Parisian inventor, Monsieur Gaumont, has devised a hand camera, by means of which the speed of a passing bicycle or automobile can be ascertained. The camera shutter has two slits, separated by a fixed distance, each of which in turn makes an exposure as the shutter flies across. The result is a picture containing two nearly superposed images of the moving object. The time elapsed between the exposures being known from the velocity of the shutter, it is only necessary to measure on the negative the distance between the two images of a hut, for instance, in order to have the data for a simple calculation which will show the speed of the vehicle at the instant the photograph was made.

**DISAPPEARANCE OF THE CHAMOIS.**

Attention is called in French scientific journals to the disappearance of the chamois from the French Alps. These graceful animals, in spite of the fact that they conceal their homes and places of refuge in the most inaccessible spots, at heights varying from 2,000 to 11,500 feet, are mercilessly hunted out and shot down, so that there is danger of their complete extinction. In Italy there is a large reserve on which the chamois are protected, and the formation of a similar reserve in France is advocated.

**RUSSIA'S SULPHUR MOUNDS.**

There have lately been discovered near the Amu river, about 100 miles from Khiva, in the Transcaspien province, huge mounds of native sulphur scattered over an area of about 23 square miles. The mounds are described as dome-shaped and about 300 feet in height. It is estimated that they contain more than 9,000,000 tons of sulphur, making this one of the richest sulphur deposits known. The "ore" is for the most part sandstone, and yields about 60 per cent of sulphur.

**SAWDUST FOR FUEL.**

In some parts of our country, sawdust is burned at the mills, not as fuel, but simply to get rid of it. But in Europe a better use has been found for sawdust. In Austria, for instance, sawdust is impregnated with tarry substances, and then heated and pressed into briquets, which are readily sold for fuel. These briquets, weighing about two-fifths of a pound each, bring from 95 cents to one dollar per thousand, in heating power they equal lignite, and they leave only 4 per cent of ash.

**MOLTEN WOOD.**

Forest Inspector De Gall of Lemur, France, has invented a substance called "molten wood." It is produced by submitting wood to a process of dry distillation and high pressure whereby the escape of gases is prevented. After cooling, the mass resembles coal, except that it is without organic structure. It is hard and can be shaped and polished. It is said to be a perfect non-conductor of electricity.

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Twain babies are true companions-in-arms. Life's current coin is made of plain common sense. Experience is like a light hung at the stern of a ship. Some men go to work and others wait for work to come to them. The tongue of a woman is her sword—and she never allows it to rust. Some fools put on more airs than a wise man could grind out of a hand organ.

A pessimist is a man who prefers artificial light to genuine sunshine.

The man who knows nothing and wants nothing ought to be comparatively happy.

Many a would-be actor seems to have made the mistake of his life by being born.

Affected indifference to everything of current interest is a fad with some people.

Many a man would be worth a million but for the 100 per cent discount allowed for cash.

When a load of coal is purchased instead of going to the buyer it usually goes to the cellar.

Laws, like sausages, often cease to inspire respect when we learn how they are made.

No man should complain of being weighed on his own scales or of being measured by his own yardstick.

Nearly every father who has a marriageable daughter is willing to allow his home to be used as a court house.

"Once upon a time" is the way fables begin, and after a man goes out once upon a time he begins to tell his wife fables.

When a girl begins to evince a dislike to being called by her pet name she may be considered as officially out of the matrimonial race—Chicago News.

**LAGRIFFE QUICKLY CURED.**

"In the winter of 1898 and 1899 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called 'la grippe' says F. L. Hewett, a prominent druggist of Winfield, Ill. 'The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and stopped the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with grip.' Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can always be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take, too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these ailments. For sale by all druggists.

**Novel Attempt at Journalism.**

An editor out in Missouri wrote to a number of farmers asking them to send him the news of their several neighborhoods. Here is one reply: "We have two school marns, the hog cholera, about fifty bushels of potatoes and a d-d fool who married a cross-eyed girl because she had a mule and forty acres of land, which the same being yours-truly."

**"Wilt" Disease in Cotton.**

The cause of the "wilt" disease of cotton, which has been more or less destructive during the past two or three seasons, is a fungus which attacks the plant from the soil. It first enters the small roots and subsequently grows into the tap or stem. The result is that the supply of food and moisture carried up from the roots is greatly decreased.

**FATAL DELAYS ARE CAUSED BY EXHAUSTION.**</



## CASE

## Of Smallpox Found Today by

Dr. Herrmann.

## The Victim a Prominent Traveling Man

Who is Occupying a Suite of Rooms at the Home of F. X. Galarneau.

Every Precaution Taken by the Board of Health and Acting Health Officer Dr. Jones. No Cause for Alarm.

This morning at 11:30 o'clock Dr. Herrmann reported to acting health officer, Dr. A. L. Jones, that he had discovered a well defined case of smallpox at the home of F. X. Galarneau, 420 west Wayne street, and immediately Dr. Jones ordered every precaution taken to prevent the infectious disease from spreading. No one, other than the members of the Galarneau household, has been exposed to the disease since it has reached the stage where contagion is possible, and the public is urged to retain its composure and entertain no fear of an epidemic. Dr. Jones has placed quarantine guards at the Galarneau home, and every other precaution necessary to guard against the disease spreading will be exercised strenuously.

## VICTIM A TRAVELER.

The patient is James A. Hall, of West Point, a traveling man, who has made this city his headquarters for four or five weeks. He has been occupying a suite of rooms at the Galarneau home and was there when he became so ill that it was deemed advisable to summon a physician. His illness developed very rapidly since yesterday, when his indisposition was first noticed and during last night and this morning the eruptions which attend the disease, made their first appearance upon his body. Dr. Herrmann, upon being called, immediately detected the symptoms

of smallpox and at once began a treatment for the disease and ordered precautions taken to prevent its spreading. He reported the case to Dr. Jones, who is acting as health officer during the absence of Dr. L. E. Laudick. Dr. Jones also visited the patient and states that his ailment is well defined, though the case may be considered a mild one so far as the general condition of the patient is concerned.

Dr. Jones, after placing quarantine guards at the infected residence, reported the case to the members of the board of health, who approved his action and authorized him to take full charge of and direct any further precautionary measures he may deem necessary.

The patient's father has been with him for some time and is also under quarantine. Dr. Jones is authority for the assurance that there is no cause whatever for the slightest alarm or fear.

## SERVICES

Of an Interesting Nature at St. Rose Church Tomorrow.

At 8:30 tomorrow morning there will be solemn high mass of requiem at St. Rose church, celebrating the anniversary of Father Henry, former pastor of St. Rose church and in honor of the deceased members of the Knights of Columbus. Father McCloskey, of Fremont, will be present to assist Father's Manning and Mooney in the celebration of the double event.

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## BASSET BALL

Western Reserve vs. Lima Team Tomorrow Night.

The University Team is a Strong One and an Exciting Contest is Anticipated.

The fast basket ball team of the Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, will be here tomorrow night to give the local team a tassel. This team comes here with a clear record, having defeated all the best teams in the eastern part of the state, among other games defeating Mt. Union College on their own floor by the score of 18 to 8. The Lima team has learned a great deal from the two games with Springfield and Mt. Union, and with Richards at left guard the team work is greatly improved. The practice for the past week has been better than ever and Lima should win the game tomorrow night.

The games so far this season have not been well patronized, and unless more people are present at this game the chances are that no more foreign teams will play in Lima this season. A trip away from home is being planned, two games already having been scheduled, one with Springfield and the other with Circleville. The trip will probably be made about the last week in March. The men go into training at once for this trip.

Skating at McCullough's tonight.

## THE MUSEUM.

The museum now in progress at the Masonic Temple is proving a great success financially, and is being fully appreciated by the museum patrons. The lady managers of the City Hospital are justly pleased, and earnestly beg of you to lend your aid this worthy cause by giving them your patronage. Remember this is the last chance to see the Noah's Ark, which is pronounced by all a triumph of mechanical genius, as it will not be on exhibition in this city again.

The museum will be closed Friday and Friday night on account of the dedication of the Masonic hall, but will be opened all day and evening Saturday. Admission 10c and 5c.

WANTED.—A lady clerk at Simon's confectionery 223 North Main.

## THE IDLER.

The Elks meet tonight.

The improvements at the police station are rapidly nearing completion, and the "bobbies" will be happy again as soon as headquarters are changed back from the fire department engine room.

The Grace Church Choral society, will sing at the revival service tonight and practice after 8:30.

The marriage of Wm. H. Bowers and Miss Florence Winegardner, of Waynesfield, Ohio, occurred at the house of Rev. Leatherman last night at 7:30.

Louis J. Keppler, who recently purchased the Cafe from Henry Roth, at 123 west High street, has assumed charge of the place and has rechristened it the "New Opera." Mr. Keppler is making extensive improvements in the place.

An exchange says: Manager Bobby Quinn, of the Anderson team of the interstate league, yesterday received a letter for the Indiana city in which he will be located next year. "Our circuit is still in doubt," said Quinn, "but it will probably include Toledo, Mansfield, Columbus, Dayton, Fort Wayne, Marion, Anderson and either Lima, South Bend or Grand Rapids."

There will be a High Mass of Requiem offered up at St. Rose church tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock, for the repose of all the deceased members of the Knights of Columbus throughout the United States. Rev. A. M. Manning, chaplain of Lima Council, will officiate. All members of Lima Council who can, will attend the services.

There will be a special revival service tonight at the South Side Church of Christ. Meeting will begin at 7:30. Everybody invited.

Oysters at Townsend's.

## MANY

## Good Suggestions Offered

## To Members

## Who Are Interested in County Fairs.

The Attendance is Not up to Point Which Occasion Demands,

But These Who Have Been Present Are Enthusiastic—Will Work for an Improvement in the Future.

The attendance at the Ohio Fair Managers Association, which has held a two days session at the court house, closing this evening, has been of much value to those directly concerned, but it is unfortunate that the attendance has not been larger. The program offered many topics that were well treated and the discussions brought out many points that are deserving of adoption. The visitors present took an active interest and accepted as well as suggested not a few plans that merit adoption. Mr. Gilliland, of Van Wert, who was one of the gentlemen selected to speak on the subject: "How can Fair Management be Improved?" submitted a most excellent paper yesterday afternoon which is given in full, as follows:

Mr. President and gentlemen of the meeting:

This is a subject that has perhaps required more thought and more suggesting in order to promote success than almost any other undertaking that men chosen by the people are called upon to perform; because your patrons are an aggregation made up of every class of society from the richest to the poorest, performing every occupation in life, and whose temperaments are as varied as the lamb that lie down to sleep upon green pastures, or the lion that roams the jungle and the forest.

This being the condition that confronts the fair managers, the first step to be taken is to select the very best men in your county to act as management of their own affairs have demonstrated their fitness to manage public affairs.

After your board has been organized to suit the requirements of the above conditions, it then devolves upon the presiding officer to select from the fair managers those persons to take charge of the various departments whose likings and tastes are in conformity thereto; speed department, horse department, cattle, sheep, poultry, agricultural, the fine arts, etc. This having been done, it then becomes necessary that each member in charge look after his department, in still into his mind that he is wholly responsible, and upon him depends the success or failure of that particular part of the fair. The general management should rest with the president, whose duty it should be to see that each member performs his duty as the department demands of him.

At this day and age of rapid transit, unbounded progress and great development in arts and science—and, if you please, expansion—much more is required to please the fairgoer than in times gone by. Your grounds must be in better condition; your track must be such that the speeder may have hopes of breaking the record established at the last exhibition; your stables and pens must be better, and your agricultural and fine arts exhibits must be up to date in order to entice the exhibitor of today, and please the spectators whom you have invited to your grounds.

Now, Mr. President, it is one thing to talk about fine buildings and race courses, neatly kept grounds, etc., and quite another thing to provide means with which these requirements may be met and paid for. Establishing dates in advance for a fair exhibition is largely a lottery. You may have the fairest weather and you may have the finest. If the former prevails you may hope to receive sufficient compensation to pay awards offered and other necessary expenses; but if the latter prevails, you are doomed to disappointment and censured for not being capable of managing the people's

institutions, and of not having wisdom enough to foresee the future. These are stubborn facts which must be met and confronted, and some means must be provided by which such emergencies can, in part, be overcome. By looking back into the past, it behooves us to provide for the future. To provide for the future the Ohio Fair Managers' association was invoked, its purpose in part being to unite closely the different county associations of the state. In unity there is strength, and by thorough organization we may be able to secure means to aid us in adverse seasons.

It is true that this organization has been the source from which much beneficial legislation has been enacted directly in the interest of agriculture. True it is of such a nature that it can be dropped off at any time, as this legislation is not mandatory and it is necessary for fair directors to keep watch of your commissioners, insist that they make the levy each year, be on the alert and see that men are nominated and elected to office who are friendly to agricultural pursuits, and who will aid you in a mighty struggle to maintain an organization which has done so much to educate and enlighten the people. In this way we believe that much may be done to improve fair management.

The session last night was devoted principally to discussions on the topics which had been introduced during the day, but there was also an agreeable variation when Miss Wisconsin Vinsen was introduced. The talented Lima elocutionist rendered several of her best selections which were warmly appreciated. The attendance today was somewhat larger than yesterday, and one paper in particular which met the approval of the audience was the one read by Gen. Sherwood, editor of the American Sportsman, published at Cleveland.

At the business meeting of this morning it was decided to hold the next session of the Fair Managers' Association at Findlay, and the election of officers was set for this afternoon.

## NOTHING EQUALS IT.

For the Cure of Catarrh.

A physician now retired from practice, but who still keeps abreast of the times, in speaking of the advance made in medicine in the last ten years says: "One of the most obstinate and baffling diseases is the very common trouble, catarrh."

Nasal catarrh is only one of its many forms; catarrh of the throat, catarrh of the stomach, bowels, liver and bladder are very common, but the sufferer usually thinks it is something else than catarrh and is treated for the wrong disease.

The best and most successful treatment for any form of catarrh is now admitted to be by internal remedies through the stomach and the safest and probably the most efficient is in the tablet form, sold by druggists as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

I have many remarkable cures of catarrh resulting from regular daily use of these tablets, which seem to act on the blood and liver, driving the catarrhal poison out of the system through the natural channels.

I once had occasion to analyze these tablets and found them to contain no cocaine nor opiates, but simply a combination of harmless antiseptics like Eucalyptol, Quinacel, blood root, etc.

At any rate I have known of severe catarrhal headaches which were cured by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and catarrhal deafness, hay fever, asthma and catarrh of the throat and stomach speedily show great benefit after a few days use of the remedy and when it is remembered how much more convenient a tablet is than inhalers, douches, salves and powders it is not surprising that this new preparation should so rapidly supplant all other remedies for catarrh.

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## THE BAPTIST MEETINGS.

The rooms of the First Baptist church were warm and comfortable last night and the audience was good. The sermon by Dr. Taylor was strong. It made a deep impression. This afternoon he conducted the funeral of the late Mrs. Bert Foster, and at 7:30 this evening will preach again on "The Last Coin." He can be in the city for only a short time. Let all hear him.

## NOTICE L. A. TO O. R. C.

The regular meeting of the L. A. to O. R. C. will open prompt at 1 o'clock Friday, Feb. 22nd, close at 2 o'clock on account of social session, honoring Washington's birthday.

Mrs. B. W. Prock, Sec'y.

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## ENTERED

## Cage of "Rajah," the Ferocious Tiger.

## A Graphic Description of a Horrible Death

Written by Doc. Waddell to Relatives of the Lad Who Was Killed at the Indianapolis Zoo.

Albert Neilson, a lad from Piqua, who has been assisting in the care of animals at the Indianapolis Zoo, was killed by a ferocious tiger last Saturday under rather peculiar circumstances. The telegraph reports concerning the tragedy were necessarily meager, but a letter from "Doc" Waddell, who is known all over the state and much of the country as a newspaper man and all around plunger, has written to relatives at Piqua all the facts concerning the unfortunate affair. Waddell has figured in many side issues, managing gigantic street and county fair enterprises and was at Lima two years ago with the Haggback people. He writes concerning the deplorable mistake of "Curly" Neilson, the young man who was killed, as follows:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Feb. 15, 1901. A distressing accident occurred at the Zoo this morning at 8 o'clock. The attendants were giving attention to the cages. It was the duty of Albert Neilson, better known as "Curly," to look after the baby lions with which baby Stella puts on "A Bird in a Gilded Cage." The cages are reached by a narrow passage-way in the rear, the passage-way being connected with a "run" or swinging bridge leading to the steel arena where the trained animals are brought from the cages to perform.

In going along the narrow passage-way, he must have made a mistake and entered the cage of "Rajah," the fierce Royal Bengal tiger that Director-General Bostock broke to perform and which only Mr. Bostock can handle. No one was ever permitted to enter "Rajah's" cage except Mr. Bostock. The first attendants knew of the accident were the cries of young Neilson. The tiger had him down on the floor of the cage with his head in its mouth. Blood was running in a stream in the den. The red hot irons which are always kept on hand for such emergencies, were secured and vigorously applied. Four bullets were put into Rajah's head and three in his body. In the midst of this Lorence, the lion tamer,

who is also known as Captain Tanner, and Mustang Ned, assisted by Samuel Stevenson, bravely entered the cage and got the dying boy out.

The smell of fresh blood put the animals in a frenzy. They roared and leaped against the sides of their cages and steel bars with all their might. It was an indescribable scene. "Rajah" roared like mad, the bullets and the hot irons only having served to make him more ferocious. Physicians were summoned and young Neilson was taken to the city hospital where he died within five minutes after arrival there. He was a handsome boy and because of his curly hair was called "Curly." He was the pet of the Bostock shows and part of his duties were to look after little children who came to the Zoo.

DOC. WADDELL.

## WHO KNOWS

## There Was a Fight Scheduled For Last Night?

Pastors' Union Tried to Locate the Alleged Principals, But the Sports Were Not "Next."

The Columbus Press-Pest of yesterday says:

"The Pastors' union of Lima, yesterday forwarded messages of commendation to Governor Nash and Judge Hollister for their recent action in connection with the boxing match which they prevented taking place in Cincinnati. The union is now trying to locate the principals of a fight which is scheduled to come off at Lima tonight."

The local sports claim to know nothing whatever of a fight having been scheduled to be pulled in this city last night. Some one has evidently given out a "pipe."

## Skating at McCullough's tonight.

The will be a meeting of the Floral Choral in the Fluke block tonight.

## NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Associated Charities Friday evening, Feb. 22 at 7 o'clock, in the Board of Education room. Let there be a full attendance of Ward Committees.

Mrs. E. B. SHERMAN, Secretary.

WANTED.—A lady clerk at Simon's confectionery 223 North Main.

Oysters at Townsend's.

Hot-breads, biscuit, cake, rolls, muffins, crusts, puddings, and the various pastries requiring a leavening or raising agent.

## THE ELKS

## Will Have a Merry Time Tomorrow.

## Fourteen Candidates Will Don the Antlers.

Terrible Ordeals of Initiation Will be Followed by a Social Session and a Minstrel Performance.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the local lodge of Elks will hold an annual celebration of Washington's Birthday and a grand time is anticipated. A class of about fourteen candidates who have been elected to membership will be on hand for initiation and the fun will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The goat has been fed on ginger for the past ten days, a new swimming tank has been constructed and the candidates will be given a run for their money.

In the evening, after the secret work is completed a social session will be held in the banquet room. Some of the features of the recent minstrel performance will be reproduced. Bro. Will Booley will predominate as Roastmaster and the following young ladies who are proteges of Miss Buck-tail Pangloss, will make their debut in "awclety": Miss Harry McCune, Miss Charley Phillips, Miss Billy Hoover, Miss Bill Core, Miss Little Bird DuGray, Miss Bloster Dattenberg, Miss Tom Davis, Miss Walter Scott and Miss Tom Edwards.

## ONLY MASONS

## Will be Admitted to Dedication and Banquet.

All Masons are cordially invited to attend the dedicatory ceremonies of the Masonic Building on Friday at high twelve.

The banquet and social beginning at 7 p. m., will be limited to Masons and their ladies or their immediate families. No one will be admitted during the evening except those who hold tickets. Any Mason desiring tickets can procure them of the general committee or at Melville's drug store. C. A. Matheany, W. L. Shepherd, E. R. Foster, I. S. Mottor, Chas. W. Herbst, and E. L. Thomas, general committee.

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